IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA RICHMOND DIVISION

GOLDEN BETHUNE-HILL, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

VIRGINIA STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS, *et al.*,

Defendants,

v.

VIRGINIA HOUSE OF DELEGATES, et al.,

Intervenor-Defendants.

Civil Action No. 3:14-cv-00852-REP-AWA-BMK

JOINT STATEMENT OF QUESTIONS PRESENTED

Pursuant to the Court's Order of June 2, 2017, the parties submit this Joint Statement of Questions Presented, "identifying and summarizing up to ten primary issues that remain in dispute." Dkt. #160 at 4.

- 1. Whether Plaintiffs have met their burden of establishing that race predominated in the construction of House Districts 63, 69, 70, 71, 74, 77, 80, 89, 90, 92, and 95 (the "Challenged Districts").
- 2. If race predominated in the construction of any of the Challenged Districts, whether

 Defendants and Intervenor-Defendants have carried their burden of establishing that such
 districts are narrowly tailored to serve a compelling government interest.

Although the parties have collaborated in good faith to identify "primary" issues that remain in dispute, they recognize that it is possible that as discovery progresses and the trial

approaches, other primary issues of dispute may manifest and require the Court's resolution.

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I hereby certify that on the 18th day of July, 2017, I filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will then send a notification of such filing to the counsel of record in this case.

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